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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

EXAMINER:

**JOSEPH MICHAEL LINDACHER**

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FOR: **MULTIFOCAL OPHTHALMIC LENS**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT A**

Dear Sir:

The Office Action dated September 29, 2005 from Jessica T. Stultz of Art Unit 2873 has been received and reviewed. The following is in response thereto.